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RAYMOND
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OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF RAYMOND

Moderator
ALFRED L. GOSSELIN

Town Clerk
HARVEY G. HINTZE

Town Treasurer
WILL B. GILE

Selectmen
FRANK P. CORSON JOSEPH A. BLAKE
GEORGE W. PURINTON

Collector of Taxes
GEORGE F. BLANCHARD

Representative to General Court
LOUIS J. HOLMES

Trustees of Trust Funds
JOHN P. LITTLEFIELD MILLARD LITTLEFIELD
GEORGE C. GOVE

School Board
ROBERT E. ECCLESTON ROGER E. ELIOT
ARTHUR W. SEVERANCE

Water Commissioners
EUGENE P. MAYNARD JOHN P. LITTLEFIELD
GEORGE H. GUPTILL

Board of Health
DR. FRED FERNALD

Supervisors of Check List

GEORGE C. GOVE

ALBERT LISTON

ROYAL PROCTOR

Auditors

HARRY M. GREENE

MABEL D. FOX

Highway Agent

LYMAN R. HAMMOND

Library Trustees

LILLIAN P. GILE

HARRIETT C. RICHARDSON

IBER B. HOLMES

Chief of Police

CHARLES D. STEVENS

Chief of Fire Department

EUGENE P. MAYNARD

Superintendent of Schools

GEORGE H. HARMON

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Raymond in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Odd Fellows Hall in said Raymond on Tuesday, the 13th day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To fix compensation for collecting taxes for the year ensuing.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town maintenance including snow.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lighting.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.

7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Fire Department including forest fires.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Dudley-Tucker Library.

9. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums for State Highways as recom-

mended by the New Hampshire State Highway Department.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 toward payment of debt.

12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for tarring.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town dump.

14. To see if the town will vote to support United States membership in a general system of international cooperation, having police power to maintain the peace of the world.

15. On petition of Ralph H. Sanborn and twelve others, to see if the town will vote to authorize and request the Selectmen to give a quitclaim deed to the First Congregational Church Society of Raymond, N. H., of the land which the town gave to said Society many years ago for the purpose of building a parsonage.

16. On petition of Ralph H. Sanborn and twelve others, to see if the town will vote to erect a suitable fence at the street side of the new cemetery addition and raise and appropriate money for same.

17. On petition of Robert E. Eccleston and ten others, to see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to clean the streets of the business section of the town once a week.

18. On petition of Alfred L. Gosselin and eleven others, to see what action the town will take in regards to closing the Mill road, so-called, leading from Alanson Brown's corner to the Chester town line for winter travel, and also close same road from residence of Arthur Murphy to Chester town line for year round maintenance, and post same to that effect.

19. On petition of Alfred L. Gosselin and eleven

others, to see what action the town will take in regards to closing the Bald Hill road, so-called, leading from Lane road to Todd road, Chester, N. H., and post same to that effect.

20. On petition of Lyman R. Hammond and eleven others, to see what action the town will take in regards to closing the Fordway road, so-called, from the point at the entrance of Viallette Robinson's to the Chester town line, and post same to that effect.

21. On petition of Lyman R. Hammond and eleven others, to see what action the town will take in regards to closing the Shirkin road, so-called, leading from Raymond-Fremont State Highway, to Fremont-Raymond town line, and post same to that effect.

22. On petition of Lyman R. Hammond and eleven others, to see what action the town will take in regards to closing a part of the Old Manchester road, so-called, leading from the Chester town line to Alanson Brown's corner on the Lane road, and post the same to that effect.

23. To transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 24th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-five.

FRANK P. CORSON,
JOSEPH A. BLAKE,
GEORGE W. PURINTON,
Selectmen of Raymond.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANK P. CORSON,
JOSEPH A. BLAKE,
GEORGE W. PURINTON,
Selectmen of Raymond.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF RAYMOND

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing year January 1, 1945, to December 31, 1945, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

| | Act. Rev. Prev. Yr. 1944 * | Est. Rev. Ens'g Yr. 1945 | Increase | Decrease |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|----------|
| From State: | | | | |
| Interest and Dividends | | | | |
| Tax, | \$146 28 | \$146 28 | | |
| Railroad Tax, | 102 84 | 102 84 | | |
| Savings Bank Tax, | 430 68 | 430 68 | | |
| For Fighting Forest Fires, | 504 07 | 450 00 | | \$54 07 |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes: | | | | |
| Business Licenses and Permits, | 133 00 | 133 00 | | |
| Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court, | 49 65 | 50 00 | \$ 35 | |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits, | 166 12 | 165 00 | | 1 12 |
| Highway, including rental of equipment, | 18 00 | | | |
| Cemetery lots, | 25 00 | 50 00 | 25 00 | |
| Dog licenses, | 380 00 | 380 00 | | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees, | 1,003 64 | 1,000 00 | . | 3 64 |
| Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds, | 65 00 | | | |
| From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes: | | | | |
| Poll Taxes, | 846 00 | 846 00 | | |
| Total Revenue from All Sources Except Property Taxes, | \$3,870 28 | \$3,753 80 | \$25 35 | \$58 83 |

TOWN OF RAYMOND

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PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

| | Act. Exp. Prev. Yr. 1944 | Est. Exp. Ens'g Yr. 1945 | Increase | Decrease |
|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | | |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries, | \$850 00 | \$850 00 | | |
| Town Officers' Expenses, | 739 69 | 900 00 | \$160 31 | |
| Election and Registration Expenses, | 69 00 | 190 00 | 121 00 | |
| Tax Collector, | 300 00 | 300 00 | | |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Police Department, | 433 75 | 600 00 | 166 25 | |
| Fire Department, | 1,581 98 | 1,200 00 | | \$381 98 |
| Health: | | | | |
| Vital Statistics, | 29 50 | 35 00 | 5 50 | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town Maintenance, | 2,738 30 | 2,500 00 | | 238 30 |
| Street Lighting, | 857 85 | 1,026 00 | 168 15 | |
| Internal Revenue Tax, | 5 10 | | | |
| Class V Road, | 252 84 | 504 49 | 251 65 | |
| Taxes Bought by Town, | 95 55 | | | |
| Town Dump, | 124 00 | 100 00 | | 24 00 |
| Libraries: | | | | |
| Libraries, | 250 00 | 250 00 | | |
| Public Welfare: | | | | |
| Town Poor, | 748 41 | 1,100 00 | 351 59 | |
| Old Age Assistance, | 1,297 71 | 1,600 00 | 351 89 | |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | |
| Memorial Day, | 13 50 | 50 00 | 36 50 | |
| Recreation: | | | | |
| Parks and Playgrounds, | 3 40 | 75 00 | 71 60 | |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | | |
| Municipally Owned Water and Electric Utilities, | 750 00 | 1,000 00 | 250 00 | |
| Damage by Dogs, | 76 75 | | | |

Interest:

| | | | |
|---------------------|--------|--------|-------|
| On Temporary Loans, | 353 55 | 400 00 | 46 45 |
|---------------------|--------|--------|-------|

Highways and Bridges:

| | |
|---------------|--------|
| Gould Street, | 200 00 |
|---------------|--------|

Indebtedness:

| | | |
|------------------|----------|----------|
| Long Term Notes, | 1,000 00 | 1,000 00 |
|------------------|----------|----------|

Payments to Other Govern-
mental Divisions:

| | | |
|---------------|----------|----------|
| County Taxes, | 3,530 49 | 3,530 49 |
|---------------|----------|----------|

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|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Payments to School Districts, | 21,000 00 | 21,000 00 |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|

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|---------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------|
| Total Expenditures, | \$36,459 87 | \$38,210 98 | \$1,980 89 | \$644 28 |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|----------|

VALUATION, 1944

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Growing wood and timber, | \$29,295 00 |
| Land and buildings, | 762,323 00 |
| Electric plants, 2, | 34,733 00 |
| Horses, 43, | 3,975 00 |
| Oxen, 4, | 500 00 |
| Cows, 106, | 8,655 00 |
| Neat stock, 23, | 670 00 |
| Sheep, 49, | 414 00 |
| Hogs, 12, | 245 00 |
| Fowls, 20,750, | 20,750 00 |
| Fur-bearing animals, 125, | 1,235 00 |
| Portable mills, 5, | 1,900 00 |
| Wood and lumber, | 15,300 00 |
| Gasoline pumps and tanks, | 2,555 00 |
| Stock in trade, | 39,790 00 |
| Mills and machinery, | 38,007 50 |

\$960,347 50

Less soldiers' exemptions,

21,218 00

\$939,129 50

Poll taxes, 652 at \$2.00, \$1,304 00

Special poll, 687 at \$3.00, 2,061 00

\$3,365 00

Amount of taxes committed to
collector, including poll
taxes,

\$40,178 90

Tax rate, \$3.92.

APPROPRIATIONS, 1944

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Town officers' salaries, | \$850 00 |
| Town officers' expense, | 900 00 |
| Election and registration, | 100 00 |
| Police department, | 500 00 |
| Fire department, | 695 25 |
| Vital statistics, | 35 00 |
| Town maintenance, | 2,700 00 |
| Tax collector, | 300 00 |
| Tarring, | 1,000 00 |
| Town dump, | 125 00 |
| Street lighting, | 1,025 00 |
| Library, | 250 00 |
| Old age assistance, | 1,500 00 |
| Town poor, | 1,000 00 |
| Parks and playgrounds, | 75 00 |
| Interest, | 400 00 |
| Payment of principal of debt, | 1,000 00 |
| County tax, | 3,530 47 |
| School tax, | 22,470 00 |
| Class V highway, | 252 84 |
| Hydrant rental, | 1,000 00 |

Total town and school appropriations, \$39,708 56

Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Interest and dividend tax, | \$158 27 |
| Railroad tax, | 101 00 |
| Savings bank tax, | 534 00 |

| | | |
|---|----------|-------------|
| Motor vehicle permit fees, | 1,000 00 | |
| Business licenses, | 124 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,917 27 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$37,791 29 |
| Plus overlay, | | 240 85 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Net amount to be raised by taxation, | | \$38,032 14 |
| Less poll taxes, | | 1,304 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Amount to be raised by property taxes on which town tax is figured, | | \$36,728 14 |

Taxes to be committed to Collector:

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Property taxes, | \$36,728 14 | |
| Poll taxes at \$2.00, | 1,304 00 | |
| Special polls at \$3.00, | 2,061 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$40,093 14 |

Tax rate, \$3.92.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1944

| Title of Appropriation | Appropriations | Receipts and Reimbursements | Total Amount Available | Expenditures | Unexpended Balances | Overdraft |
|--|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| Town Officers' Salaries, | \$850 00 | | \$850 00 | \$850 00 | | |
| Town Officers' Expenses, | 900 00 | | 900 00 | 739 69 | \$160 31 | |
| Election and Registration, | 100 00 | | 100 00 | 69 00 | 31 00 | |
| Municipal Court, | | \$49 65 | | | | |
| Police Department, | 500 00 | | 652 75 | 433 75 | 219 00 | \$332 01 |
| Fire Department, | 695 25 | 504 07 | 1,249 97 | 1,581 98 | | |
| Health Dept., Vital Statistics, | 55 00 | | 55 00 | 29 50 | 25 50 | |
| Cemeteries, | | | | | | |
| Town Maintenance, | 2,700 00 | | 2,700 00 | 2,738 30 | | 38 30 |
| Water Department, | 1,000 00 | | 1,000 00 | 750 00 | 250 00 | |
| Street Lighting, | 1,025 00 | | 1,025 00 | 857 85 | 167 15 | |
| Tax Collector, | 300 00 | | 300 00 | 300 00 | | |
| Town Dump, | 125 00 | | 125 00 | 124 00 | 1 00 | |
| Tar, | 1,000 00 | | 2,000 00 | 2,471 87 | | 471 87 |
| Libraries, | 250 00 | | 250 00 | 250 00 | | |
| Town Poor, | 1,000 00 | | 1,000 00 | 748 41 | 251 59 | |
| Old Age Assistance, | 1,500 00 | | 1,500 00 | 1,297 71 | 202 29 | |
| Memorial Day, | 75 00 | | 75 00 | 13 50 | 61 50 | |
| Parks and Playgrounds, | 75 00 | | 75 00 | 3 40 | 71 60 | |
| Interest, | 400 00 | | 400 00 | 353 55 | 46 45 | |
| Principal of Debt, | 1,000 00 | | 1,000 00 | 1,000 00 | | |
| County Tax, | 3,530 47 | | 3,530 47 | 3,530 47 | | |
| Class V Roads, | 252 84 | | 252 84 | 252 84 | | |
| | <u>\$17,333 56</u> | <u>\$553 72</u> | <u>\$19,041 03</u> | <u>\$18,395 80</u> | <u>\$1,487 39</u> | <u>\$842 18</u> |
| Unexpended Balance on Police, Tarring and Fire Dept., | 1,707 42 | | | 645 21 | 842 18 | |
| | <u>\$19,041 03</u> | | | <u>\$19,041 03</u> | <u>\$645 21</u> | |

BALANCE SHEET, 1944

Assets

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Cash in hands of treasurer, | \$16,992 68 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|

Accounts due town:

| | |
|----------------|-------|
| Cemetery lots, | 88 00 |
|----------------|-------|

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Due from tax sales, | 150 00 |
|---------------------|--------|

Unredeemed taxes:

| | |
|-------------------|-------|
| (a) Levy of 1943, | 95 55 |
|-------------------|-------|

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| (b) Levy of 1942, | 282 50 |
|-------------------|--------|

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|-------------------|-------|
| (c) Levy of 1941, | 17 17 |
|-------------------|-------|

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| (d) Previous years, | 24 04 |
|---------------------|-------|

Uncollected taxes:

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| (a) Levy of 1944, | 7,358 96 |
|-------------------|----------|

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|-------------------|--------|
| (b) Levy of 1943, | 202 22 |
|-------------------|--------|

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|---------------------|--------|
| (c) Previous years, | 101 31 |
|---------------------|--------|

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|---------------|-------------|
| Total assets, | \$25,312 43 |
|---------------|-------------|

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|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Excess of liabilities over assets, | 17,277 28 |
|------------------------------------|-----------|

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|--------------|-------------|
| Grand total, | \$42,589 71 |
|--------------|-------------|

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|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Net debt, January 31, 1943, | \$21,081 84 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|

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|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Net debt, January 31, 1944, | 17,277 28 |
|-----------------------------|-----------|

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|-------------------|------------|
| Decrease of debt, | \$3,804 56 |
|-------------------|------------|

Liabilities

Accounts owed by town:

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Bills outstanding, water bill, | \$250 00 |
|--------------------------------|----------|

Due School District:

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Dog licenses for 1943, | 343 45 |
| Balance of appropriation, | 11,396 26 |

Outstanding Temporary Loans:

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| In anticipation of taxes, | 21,000 00 |
|---------------------------|-----------|

Long Term Notes:

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Rockingham National Bank, | 2,000 00 |
| Water system, | 7,600 00 |

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Total liabilities, | \$42,589 71 |
|--------------------|-------------|

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Library, land and buildings, | \$3,000 00 |
| Furniture and equipment, | 300 00 |
| Police department and equipment, | 200 00 |
| Fire department and equipment, | 5,000 00 |
| Highway department and equipment, | 6,000 00 |
| Parks and playgrounds, | 2,000 00 |
| Water system, | 25,000 00 |
| Land acquired through tax collector's deeds, | 900 00 |
| School land and buildings, | 55,000 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$97,400 00 |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received from licenses on dogs for the year
ending December 31, 1944:

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| 126 males at \$2.00, | \$252 00 |
| 27 females at \$5.00, | 135 00 |
| 2 kennel licenses at \$12.00, | 24 00 |

\$411 00

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|--------------------|-------|
| Reserved for fees, | 31 00 |
|--------------------|-------|

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|----------------------|----------|
| Paid town treasurer, | \$380 00 |
|----------------------|----------|

Received for permits for registration of mo-
tor vehicles March 15, 1944, to Decem-
ber 31, 1944,

\$631 09

| | |
|--------------|------|
| Filing fees, | 5 00 |
|--------------|------|

| | |
|----------------------|----------|
| Paid town treasurer, | \$636 09 |
|----------------------|----------|

HARVEY G. HINTZE,

Town Clerk.

Received for permits for registration of mo-
tor vehicles February 15 to February
22, on 1943 cars,

\$1 00

Received for permits for registration of mo-
tor vehicles January 1, 1944, to March
13, 1944,

371 55

| | |
|--------------|------|
| Filing fees, | 8 50 |
|--------------|------|

| | |
|----------------------|----------|
| Paid town treasurer, | \$381 05 |
|----------------------|----------|

GEORGE W. PURINTON,

Town Clerk to March 15, 1944.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

February 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944

Receipts

Cash on hand, \$5,051 03

Received from:

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Selectmen, | 51,711 21 |
| George Purinton, auto permits, | 372 55 |
| George Purinton, filing fees, | 8 50 |
| Harvey Hintze, auto permits, | 631 09 |
| Harvey Hintze, dog licenses, | 380 00 |
| Harvey Hintze, filing fees, | 5 00 |

\$58,159 38

Expenditures

Paid:

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Selectmen's orders, | \$41,166 70 |
| Cash on hand, | 16,992 68 |

\$58,159 38

WILL B. GILE,
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS, 1944

Amount revenue from local taxes:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Total taxes committed to collector, | \$40,178 90 |
| Less uncollected, | \$7,358 96 |
| Property taxes current year actually collected, | \$30,424 68 |
| Poll taxes current year actually collected, | 2,205 00 |
| Total of current year's collections, | \$32,629 68 |

Property and poll taxes previous years:

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| Actually collected, | \$5,925 10 |
| Tax sales redeemed, | 115 88 |

From State:

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Interest and dividend tax, | 146 28 |
| Railroad tax, | 102 84 |
| Savings Bank tax, | 430 68 |
| Forest fires, | 524 07 |

From local sources except taxes:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Land sold by town, | 65 00 |
| Refund old age assistance, | 521 03 |
| Rent of tractor, | 18 00 |
| Dog licenses, | 380 00 |
| Business licenses and permits, | 158 00 |
| Fines, | 49 65 |
| Cemetery lots, | 25 00 |
| Interest received on taxes, | 166 12 |
| Registration of motor vehicles, February 1, 1944, to April 1, 1944, for 1943, | 1 00 |
| Registration of motor vehicles, January 1, 1944, to March 13, 1944, for 1944, | 371 55 |
| Registration of motor vehicles, March 15, 1944, to December 31, 1944, | 631 09 |

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Filing fees, | 13 50 |
| Receipts other than current revenue: | |
| Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes, | 11,000 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total receipts from all sources, | \$53,274 47 |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1945, | 16,992 68 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | \$70,267 15 |

PAYMENTS, 1944

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|--|------------|
| Current Maintenance: | |
| Town officers' salaries, | \$850 00 |
| Town officers' expense, | 739 69 |
| Election and registration, | 69 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,658 69 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | |
| Police department, | \$433 75 |
| Fire department, including forest fires, | 1,581 98 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2,015 73 |
| Health Department: | |
| Vital statistics, | \$29 50 |
| Bounties: | |
| Bounties, | \$5 50 |
| Highways: | |
| Town maintenance, | \$2,738 30 |
| Tar, | 2,471 87 |
| Class V, | 252 84 |
| Gould street, | 200 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5,663 01 |

TOWN OF RAYMOND

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Memorial Day:

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|---------------|---------|
| Memorial Day, | \$13 50 |
|---------------|---------|

Street Lights:

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|----------------|----------|
| Street lights, | \$857 85 |
|----------------|----------|

Libraries:

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Dudley-Tucker Library, | \$250 00 |
|------------------------|----------|

Charities:

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| Old age assistance, | \$1,297 71 |
|---------------------|------------|

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|------------|--------|
| Town poor, | 748 41 |
|------------|--------|

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| | \$2,046 12 |
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Recreation:

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|--------|--------|
| Parks, | \$3 40 |
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Public Service Enterprise:

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|----------------------|----------|
| To water department, | \$750 00 |
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Unclassified:

| | |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Taxes bought by town, | \$95 55 |
|-----------------------|---------|

Interest:

| | |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| On notes in anticipation of taxes, | \$353 33 |
|------------------------------------|----------|

Indebtedness:

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Payments on long term notes, | \$1,000 00 |
|------------------------------|------------|

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|--------------------|-----------|
| School department, | 21,000 00 |
|--------------------|-----------|

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| | \$22,000 00 |
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Payments of Governmental Divisions:

| | |
|-------------|------------|
| County tax, | \$3,530 47 |
|-------------|------------|

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|-------------|-----------|
| School tax, | 21,000 00 |
|-------------|-----------|

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|--|-------------|
| | \$24,530 47 |
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Special Three Dollar Poll Tax,

| | |
|--|------------|
| | \$1,374 00 |
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Damage by Dogs:

| | |
|--------------------------|---------|
| Dog damage, | \$51 75 |
| Collecting dog licenses, | 25 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$76 75 |

Victory Tax:

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|--------------|--------|
| Victory tax, | \$5 10 |
|--------------|--------|

Civilian Defense:

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|----------|---------|
| Defense, | \$13 98 |
|----------|---------|

Tax Collector:

| | |
|------------|----------|
| Collector, | \$300 00 |
|------------|----------|

Town Dump:

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|------------|----------|
| Town dump, | \$124 00 |
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|-----------------|-------------|
| Total payments, | \$41,166 70 |
|-----------------|-------------|

 RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From Local Taxes:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| George Blanchard, 1944 taxes, | \$32,629 68 |
| George Blanchard, 1943 taxes, | 5,626 92 |
| George Blanchard, previous years, | 298 18 |
| George Blanchard, taxes bought by town, | 115 88 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$38,670 66 |

Licenses:

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Jerry Thayer, picture license, | \$133 00 |
| Arthur Mitchell, pool license, | 20 00 |
| Circus license, | 5 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$158 00 |

Court Fines:

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Judge Ralph H. Sanborn, fines, | \$49 65 |
|--------------------------------|---------|

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Refund old age assistance, | \$521 03 |
|----------------------------|----------|

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|----------------|-------|
| Cemetery lots, | 25 00 |
|----------------|-------|

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| State of New Hampshire, refund on forest fires, | 504 07 |
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|------------------|-------|
| Rent of tractor, | 18 00 |
|------------------|-------|

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| Land sold by town, | 65 00 |
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| Lyman Hammond, refund from Highway Department, | 20 00 |
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| | \$1,153 10 |
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Temporary Loans:

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| Rockingham National Bank, | \$11,000 00 |
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From State:

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| Savings bank tax, | \$430 68 |
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| Railroad tax, | 102 84 |
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| Interest and dividend tax, | 146 28 |
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| | \$679 80 |
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| Total receipts, | \$51,711 21 |
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PAYMENTS IN DETAIL, 1944

Town Officers' Salaries:

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|-----------------------------|----------|
| Frank P. Corson, selectman, | \$200 00 |
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| Joseph A. Blake, selectman, | 250 00 |
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| George W. Purinton, selectman, | 200 00 |
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| Will B. Gile, treasurer, | 125 00 |
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| Harvey B. Hintze, town clerk, | 75 00 |
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| | \$850 00 |
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Town Officers' Expenses:

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|--|---------|
| Harry M. Green, auditing books, | \$25 00 |
| Mabel D. Fox, auditing books, | 15 00 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., | 85 |
| Byron Littlefield, printing ballots, | 6 75 |
| Record Press, town reports, | 165 10 |
| Rush A Service, printing checklist, | 30 00 |
| Donald Willoughby, delivering town reports, | 1 50 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., | 1 20 |
| Jesse Smith, labor on booths, | 4 00 |
| Joseph A. Blake, inventory blanks, stamps and use of car delivering town reports, | 33 74 |
| Edson Eastman, stationery, | 33 84 |
| Ladies' Benevolent Society, dinners, | 6 50 |
| George W. Purinton, bonds, | 85 00 |
| Hazel's Lunch, dinners, | 2 20 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., | 1 85 |
| Drew & Sweeney, dinners, | 2 50 |
| Byron Littlefield, printing, | 4 25 |
| Hazel's Lunch, dinners, | 6 40 |
| Sadie Cram, copying taxes, | 6 00 |
| Harvey Hintze, expenses to Town Clerks' meeting, | 4 90 |
| John Dudley, surveying Gould street, | 5 00 |
| Edson Eastman, supplies, | 5 11 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., | 2 65 |
| Edson Eastman, supplies, | 56 |
| Harry McFarland, labor and material, | 41 66 |
| George Blanchard, postage and printing, | 17 30 |
| Byron Littlefield, printing, | 12 00 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., | 3 60 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., | 1 25 |
| Hazel's Lunch, dinners, | 4 90 |
| Ladies' Benevolent Society, dinners, | 4 00 |
| John A. Green, examining and copying deeds, | 17 00 |
| Leon Robie, services running Candia lines, | 8 00 |

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|---|-------|
| Essex A. Vining, labor on booths, | 5 00 |
| Juniata Lodge, No. 47, rent, | 12 00 |
| Will B. Gile, stamps, registered mail and stationery, | 6 28 |
| John Littlefield, expenses of trust fund, | 8 00 |
| George Purinton, auto permit fees, | 34 75 |
| George Purinton, care and winding town clock, | 25 00 |
| Harvey Hintze, auto permit fees and postage, | 74 25 |
| Al S. Welch, fuel, | 14 80 |

 \$739 69

Election and Registration:

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|----------------------------------|---------|
| Mabel D. Fox, ballot clerk, | \$20 00 |
| Fanny W. Gove, ballot clerk, | 15 00 |
| George H. Guptill, ballot clerk, | 10 00 |
| Alfred Gosselin, moderator, | 24 00 |

 \$69 00

Civilian Defense:

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| Civilian Defense, telephone, | \$13 98 |
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Police Department:

February

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|---------------------------|---------|
| Perley B. Emery, service, | \$10 75 |
| Charles Stevens, service, | 30 50 |

March

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 23 50 |
| Perley Emery, service, | 6 70 |

April

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 25 00 |
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May

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 20 75 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 10 25 |

June

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 32 75 |
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July

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|---------------------------|-------|
| Charles Stevens, service, | 34 05 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 10 25 |
| Alcide Côté, service, | 10 00 |
| Fred Traver, service, | 8 00 |

August

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|---------------------------|-------|
| Charles Stevens, service, | 26 00 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 9 50 |

September

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 27 00 |
| Wallace Butterfield, firearm, | 25 00 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 11 00 |

October

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 22 00 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 6 50 |

November

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 32 25 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 11 50 |
| Alcide Cote, service, | 5 00 |
| Fred Traver, service, | 3 50 |

December

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| Charles Stevens, service, | 22 50 |
| Harold Varney, service, | 6 50 |
| Alcide Cote, service, | 3 00 |

\$433 75

Fire Department:

February

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| Hazelton Garage, labor and grease, | \$9 86 |
| N. H. Gas & Electric, light service, | 12 84 |

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|---|-------|
| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 10 85 |
| Smith Garage, gasoline, | 2 20 |
| Maynard's Garage, material and storage, | 25 60 |
| Bailey's Tire Sales, Inc., | 18 79 |

March

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| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 8 00 |
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April

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| Smith's Garage, | 3 60 |
| George Dockham, two cords wood, | 32 00 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 7 70 |
| N. H. Gas & Electric, light service, | 6 94 |
| George Purinton, insurance, | 66 00 |

June

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|--------------------------------------|--------|
| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 7 70 |
| Epping Fire Department, | 47 40 |
| Chester Fire Department, | 99 60 |
| Fremont Fire Department, | 207 16 |
| Exeter Fire Department, | 32 40 |
| Deerfield Fire Department, | 59 10 |
| Blanchard Association, | 91 30 |
| N. H. Gas & Electric, light service, | 4 32 |
| Raymond Fruit Store, | 12 50 |
| Smith's Garage, | 26 03 |

July

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| Holt's Department Store, | 4 10 |
| White Cross Market, | 40 67 |
| Eugene Maynard, | 387 70 |
| N. H. Gas & Electric, light service, | 1 60 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 3 60 |

August

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| N. H. Gas & Electric, light service, | 1 00 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 3 90 |
| Smith's Garage, | 2 35 |

September

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| Blanchard Association, | 12 00 |
| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 3 45 |

October

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| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 6 90 |
| Hugh D. Whittier, fuel, | 30 00 |

November

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| New England Tel. and Tel., service, | 7 10 |
| N. H. Gas & Electric, light service, | 5 92 |
| Town of Chester, | 2 00 |

December

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| George W. Purinton, salaries of firemen and insurance, | 278 00 |
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\$1,581 98

Town Poor:

February

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|---|---------|
| William Wheat, board and care of child, | \$18 00 |
| Dockham's Store, groceries, | 25 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 25 00 |

March

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|---|-------|
| Exeter Hospital, medical care, | 97 57 |
| William Wheat, board and care of child, | 18 50 |
| Dockham's Store, groceries, | 35 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 20 50 |

April

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|---|-------|
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 55 00 |
| William Wheat, board and care of child, | 19 00 |
| Dockham's Store, groceries, | 40 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 13 50 |

May

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| Willard C. Montgomery, M.D., medical care, | 43 00 |
| William Wheat, board and care of child, | 15 00 |
| Mitchell Memorial Hospital, medical care, | 54 40 |
| Dockham's Store, groceries, | 25 00 |
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 30 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 4 50 |

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June

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|---|-------|
| William Wheat, board and care of child, | 18 25 |
| Dockham's Store, groceries, | 25 00 |
| Blake's Variety Store, clothing, | 2 69 |
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 30 00 |

July

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|--|-------|
| Willard C. Montgomery, M.D., medical care, | 13 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 4 50 |
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 20 00 |

August

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| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 10 00 |
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September

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| John Wheadon, | 3 00 |
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 10 00 |
| Willard C. Montgomery, M.D., medical care, | 9 00 |

October

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| White Cross Market, groceries, | 5 00 |
| Dockham's Store, groceries, | 20 00 |
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 10 00 |

November

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|------------------------------------|-------|
| Whittier's Cash Market, groceries, | 10 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 9 00 |

December

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| White Cross Market, groceries, | 10 00 |
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Old Age Assistance:

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| State of New Hampshire, March, | \$262 25 |
| State of New Hampshire, April, | 127 75 |
| State of New Hampshire, May, | 111 00 |
| State of New Hampshire, June, | 108 19 |
| State of New Hampshire, July, | 107 88 |

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| State of New Hampshire, September, | 217 57 |
| State of New Hampshire, October, | 114 00 |
| State of New Hampshire, November, | 119 63 |
| State of New Hampshire, December, | 129 44 |
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| | \$1,297 71 |
| Special Three Dollar Poll Tax: | |
| State Treasurer, | \$1,374 00 |
| County Tax: | |
| Earl Stockbridge, | \$3,530 47 |
| Memorial Day: | |
| Millard Littlefield, | \$13 50 |
| Internal Revenue Tax: | |
| Collector of Internal Revenue, | \$5 10 |
| Class V Roads: | |
| State of New Hampshire, | \$252 84 |
| Taxes Bought by Town: | |
| George F. Blanchard, | \$95 55 |
| Parks and Playgrounds: | |
| Donald Willoughby, | \$2 40 |
| Everett Dearborn, | 1 00 |
| Bounties: | |
| Albert McIver, bounties, | \$1 50 |
| Earl Wilbur, bounties, | 3 50 |
| J. M. Monroe, bounties, | 1 50 |
| Andrew Gordon, Jr., bounties, | 50 |
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| | \$7 00 |

Damage by Dogs:

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| Perley B. Emery, killing dog, | \$2 25 |
| Charles Stevens, killing dog, | 1 00 |
| Albert MacIver, killing dogs, | 33 50 |
| Albert MacIver, dog officer, | 25 00 |
| Carl Cate, damage to hens, | 15 00 |

\$76 75

Vital Statistics:

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| George W. Purinton, recording births, deaths and marriages, | \$6 50 |
| Harvey Hintze, recording births, deaths, marriages, | 23 00 |

\$29 50

Town Dump:

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| Lyman Hammond, labor with bulldozer, | \$124 00 |
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Street Lighting:

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| N. H. Gas & Electric Co., street lights, | \$857 85 |
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Library:

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| Dudley-Tucker Library, | \$250 00 |
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Tax Collector:

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| George F. Blanchard, | \$300 00 |
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Water Department:

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| Hydrant rental, June, | \$250 00 |
| Hydrant rental, November, | 250 00 |
| Hydrant rental, December, | 250 00 |

\$750 00

Interest:

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| Rockingham National Bank, interest, | \$353 55 |
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Long Term Notes:

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| Rockingham National Bank, March, | \$1,000 00 |
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School Department:

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| Will B. Gile, school treasurer, | \$21,000 00 |
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Town Maintenance:

February

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| Lyman Hammond, labor on culverts and plowing snow, | \$228 35 |
| Raymond Smith, driving tractor, | 21 50 |
| Edward Smith, labor, | 17 00 |
| Fred Andrews, truck hire, | 22 00 |
| George Blanchard, labor, | 4 00 |
| William Peaslee, labor, | 4 00 |

March

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| Ai S. Welch, fuel, | 1 30 |
| Lyman Hammond, road work, | 99 23 |
| Heber Brown, labor, | 18 00 |
| Grover Waterhouse, labor, | 3 25 |
| Bartlett Agency, insurance on tractor, | 41 40 |

April

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| Lyman Hammond, truck hire and labor | 118 50 |
| George Blanchard, labor, | 46 55 |
| N. H. Explosive, | 186 20 |

June

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|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Harry Kebbe, labor, | 1 80 |
| Lyman Hammond, truck hire and labor, | 48 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, truck hire and labor, | 30 00 |
| Edward Smith, labor, | 7 50 |
| Hughin Holt, labor, | 3 60 |
| Eli Marcotte, | 3 75 |
| Leonard White, labor, | 7 20 |
| William Peaslee, | 3 60 |
| Paul Smith, labor, | 5 40 |
| Warren Noyes, labor, | 3 60 |
| Reed Carver, labor, | 3 60 |
| Paul Berry, labor, | 1 80 |

TOWN OF RAYMOND

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| Frances Demayo, labor, | 1 80 |
| Walter Lyman, labor, | 9 60 |
| Donald Tilton, labor, | 9 60 |
| Frank Ostrander, labor, | 9 60 |
| George Blanchard, labor, | 13 15 |
| Delma Langille, labor, | 3 60 |

September

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|-------------------|--------|
| Lyman Hammond, | 115 20 |
| Eli N. Marcotte, | 31 50 |
| Morris Clark, | 50 00 |
| George Blanchard, | 17 40 |
| Walter Lyman, | 41 20 |
| Edward Smith, | 24 00 |
| Carl Reed, | 15 84 |
| Frank Ostrander, | 7 20 |
| Ai S. Welch, | 31 50 |

October

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| B. & M. Railroad, freight on blade, | 22 94 |
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November

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|-------------------------|--------|
| Bulldozer, | 240 00 |
| R. C. Hazelton, | 15 49 |
| Henry Parker, | 36 00 |
| Perkins & Eaton, | 62 02 |
| Eli N. Marcotte, | 26 13 |
| Edward Smith, | 28 00 |
| George Blanchard, | 21 00 |
| Alfred Glidden, | 14 70 |
| Lyman Hammond, | 77 25 |
| State of New Hampshire, | 510 59 |

December

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|------------------|--------|
| Lyman Hammond, | 233 00 |
| Freeman Emerson, | 2 00 |
| Leonard White, | 7 50 |
| Frank Ostrander, | 8 10 |

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|-------------------|-------|
| Raymond Smith, | 17 70 |
| Thomas Welch, | 5 20 |
| Nellie Dearborn, | 7 20 |
| Edward Smith, | 10 20 |
| William Hammond, | 33 00 |
| Perkins & Eaton, | 36 20 |
| Lilla Batchelder, | 5 30 |
| Raymond Smith, | 6 50 |

\$2,738 30

Tarring:

July

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|-------------------------|---------|
| State of New Hampshire, | \$36 00 |
| Lyman Hammond, | 55 80 |
| Donald Tilton, | 1 80 |
| Walter Lyman, | 8 40 |
| Lyman Hammond, | 42 00 |
| Walter Lyman, | 17 70 |
| Frank Ostrander, | 11 70 |
| H. H. McGuire, | 540 26 |

August

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|--------------------|--------|
| Lyman Hammond, | 129 00 |
| Walter Lyman, Jr., | 67 40 |
| Reed Carver, | 55 00 |
| Frank Ostrander, | 37 35 |
| Marion Cate, | 41 30 |
| Joseph Reed, | 25 50 |
| Carl Reed, | 25 50 |
| Ivan Reed, | 23 75 |
| Richard Maynard, | 2 00 |
| Kelly Brown, | 21 70 |
| Russell Maynard, | 4 00 |
| Ai S. Welch, | 30 00 |
| Donald Smith, | 9 25 |
| George Blanchard, | 2 40 |
| Leonard White, | 15 80 |

September

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| H. H. McGuire, | 870 13 |
| H. H. McGuire, | 398 13 |
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| | \$2,471 87 |

Gould Street:

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| Calvin Brown, | 21 00 |
| Walter Lyman, Jr., | 23 40 |
| Leonard White, | 1 80 |
| Paul Smith, | 1 80 |
| Reed Carver, | 3 00 |
| Warren Noyes, | 1 20 |
| Calvin Rollins, | 1 20 |
| Edward Smith, | 3 20 |
| Lyman Hammond, | 51 90 |
| H. H. McGuire, tar, | 91 50 |
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| | \$200 00 |

DUDLEY-TUCKER LIBRARY REPORT

February 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944

Treasurer's Statement

| | |
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| February 1, 1944, cash on hand, | \$95 27 |
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Received from:

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| Town, | 250 00 |
| Gile-Folsom fund, | 148 00 |
| Overtime on books, | 17 00 |

\$510 27

Expenditures

Paid:

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| Electric lights, | \$11 00 |
| Librarian, | 72 00 |
| Magazines, | 36 75 |
| Janitor, | 24 00 |
| Fuel, | 63 00 |
| Cleaning, | 1 60 |
| Books, | 116 24 |
| Removing ashes, | 1 00 |
| Supplies, | 1 39 |
| Lillian Gile, treasurer, | 3 00 |

\$329 98

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| Cash on hand to balance, | 180 29 |
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\$510 27

Also \$25.00 War Bond given by Raymond Garden Club, to be used at maturity, to purchase books relating to gardens and gardening.

LILLIAN P. GILE,
Treasurer.

DUDLEY-TUCKER LIBRARY

Resources

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| Number of bound volumes at beginning of year, | 3,964 |
| Number of bound volumes purchased and donated, | 106 |
| Federal, State and town documents added, | 5 |

4,075

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| Deduct the number of volumes discarded, | 10 |
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Total number of volumes owned at end of year, 4,065

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| Number of magazines, | 18 |
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Service

Number of volumes loaned:

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| Fiction, | 2,875 |
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| Non-fiction, | 68 |
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| Juvenile, | 524 |
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3,467

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| Number of magazines loaned, | 399 |
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Total circulation for year, 3,866

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| Total number of active borrowers during year, | 100 |
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ALICE M. WASON,

Librarian.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Raymond, N. H., on December 31, 1944

| DATE OF CREATION | TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED | AMOUNT ON PRINCIPAL | Rate of Interest | Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning of Yr. | Income During Year | Expended During Year | Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year |
|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|--|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 3-7-05 | S. C. Bullard | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | \$1,100.00 | 2½% | \$95.09 | \$29.16 | \$85.16 | \$.09 |
| 3-27-05 | C. W. Lane | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 1.65 | 2.57 | 1.72 | 1.72 |
| 3-27-05 | R. Clay | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 124.39 | 8.18 | 4.00 | 128.57 |
| 7-31-08 | John F. Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 36.82 | 3.46 | 4.00 | 36.28 |
| 3-15-09 | S. L. P. Smith | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 49.14 | 3.78 | 3.50 | 49.42 |
| 5-14-09 | John Gile | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 25.96 | 3.19 | 4.00 | 25.15 |
| 8-15-11 | Caroline Robie | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 19.22 | 3.02 | 4.00 | 18.24 |
| 1-18-13 | Evelina Roby | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 42.26 | 3.62 | 3.50 | 43.38 |
| 4-25-17 | John N. Tilton | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 24.17 | 3.14 | 4.00 | 23.31 |
| 12-29-17 | Ledia J. Griffin | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 123.62 | 8.16 | 4.00 | 127.78 |
| 12-29-17 | Zelinda Perkins | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 17.32 | 2.97 | 4.50 | 15.79 |
| 5-24-17 | Anna M. Bartlett | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 50.00 | | 2.05 | 1.32 | 3.00 | .37 |
| 3-29-18 | Anna M. Bartlett | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 80.61 | 7.08 | 5.50 | 82.19 |
| 8-10-20 | Carl J. Whiting | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 39.12 | 3.51 | 4.00 | 38.63 |
| 8-31-20 | Mary A. Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 26.48 | 3.20 | 3.00 | 26.68 |
| 10-6-21 | E. F. Gilman | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 41.30 | 3.58 | 5.00 | 39.88 |
| 10-6-21 | Susan Dunham | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 112.18 | 7.85 | 2.00 | 118.03 |
| 8-4-22 | Durgan & Garland | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 9.12 | 2.77 | 4.00 | 7.89 |
| 4-27-23 | Cecil Ham | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 29.58 | 3.28 | 4.00 | 28.86 |
| 5-5-23 | Alice C. Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 20.33 | 3.04 | 4.50 | 18.87 |
| 8-16-23 | Josiah N. Tilton | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 6.32 | 2.69 | 4.00 | 5.01 |
| 3-14-24 | J. D. Folsom | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 22.47 | 3.10 | 6.00 | 19.57 |
| 11-13-17 | Martha Batchelder | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 12.67 | 2.86 | 3.00 | 12.53 |
| 5-7-05 | Flavilla A. L. George | Amos Batchelder Lane Cemetery Fund | 50.00 | | 17.08 | 1.68 | | 18.76 |
| 1-28-13 | Judge John Dudley | Lane Cemetery Fund | 50.00 | | 107.37 | 3.98 | | 111.32 |
| 10-31-24 | Sarah Lovering | Lovering Cemetery Fund | 300.00 | | 70.78 | 9.38 | 9.00 | 71.16 |
| 3-14-24 | Anna R. Folsom | Dudley-Tucker Library Fund | 100.00 | | 2.42 | 2.59 | 3.00 | 2.01 |
| 12-2-26 | John Gile | Dudley-Tucker Library Fund | 4,294.49 | | 62.92 | 110.83 | 145.00 | 28.75 |
| 8-11-28 | John E. Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 70.52 | 6.82 | 5.00 | 72.34 |
| 4-25-28 | Benjamin Gilman | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 20.25 | 3.04 | 5.00 | 18.29 |
| 5-31-28 | John Smith Family | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 9.37 | 5.32 | 9.00 | 5.69 |
| 1-17-29 | Junia Lodge, I. O. F., No. 47 | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 100.00 | | 15.18 | 2.91 | 3.00 | 15.09 |
| 1-24-29 | W. G. Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | 200.00 | | 18.47 | 5.53 | 6.00 | 18.00 |

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| 1-15-30 George W. Gilman | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 11.32 | 2.81 | 3.00 | 11.13 |
| 4-25-30 Otis Whittier | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 64.83 | 6.68 | 5.00 | 66.51 |
| 6-14-30 James P. Griffin | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 9.97 | 2.78 | 3.00 | 9.75 |
| 6-9-32 A. F. Keyes | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.45 | 2.56 | 2.50 | 1.51 |
| 11-27-33 Luvann Harriman | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 37.50 | 2.97 | 1.00 | | 3.97 |
| 7-21-31 William B. Blake | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .13 | 2.53 | 2.50 | .16 |
| 10-12-34 Plummer B. Corson | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2.25 | 5.12 | 5.00 | 2.37 |
| 5-3-34 Mary A. Dodge | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .67 | 1.27 | 1.25 | .69 |
| 3-7-35 William A. Elliott | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .92 | 2.56 | 2.50 | .98 |
| 10-3-35 John F. Lane | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 250.00 | 11.79 | 6.61 | 6.00 | 12.40 |
| 12-30-35 Mary Kirkland | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.09 | 2.56 | 3.00 | .65 |
| 9-22-31 Lizzie L. Prescott | Dudley Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .18 | 2.54 | 2.50 | .22 |
| 3-7-35 Walter J. Dudley | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 500.00 | 126.65 | 15.76 | | 142.41 |
| 9-4-36 Joseph Savage | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 3.25 | 5.14 | 5.00 | 3.39 |
| 10-8-36 Whittier & Jones | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 7.86 | 2.70 | | 10.56 |
| 4-29-37 Henry B. Dean | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.06 | 2.56 | 2.50 | 1.12 |
| 11-9-37 Ernest A. West | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .27 | 2.53 | | .30 |
| 4-23-38 Emerson & Robinson | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 14.31 | 2.87 | 3.50 | 13.68 |
| 5-26-38 Agnes Elwell | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .51 | 1.27 | 1.25 | .53 |
| 6-25-38 Walter Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.26 | 2.56 | 2.50 | 1.32 |
| 7-14-38 Lewis O. Pollard | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.49 | 2.56 | 3.00 | 1.05 |
| 11-20-39 Charles E. Poore | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .81 | 1.28 | 1.25 | .84 |
| 11-20-38 Mary Baker Abbott | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.54 | 2.56 | 2.50 | 1.60 |
| 11-22-38 Wendell & Robinson | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 2.77 | 3.86 | 3.50 | 3.13 | |
| 3-18-40 Sherburn Rollins | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 150.00 | .92 | 2.56 | 2.50 | .98 |
| 2-20-41 Charles F. Gile | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .46 | 3.99 | 2.50 | 1.95 |
| 4-20-41 Addie Blake | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2.12 | 5.01 | 5.00 | 2.13 |
| 6-12-41 Frank G. Beane | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.50 | 2.57 | 3.00 | 1.07 |
| 11-6-41 Joseph Dudley | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 500.00 | 8.22 | 7.75 | 5.00 | 10.97 |
| 11-24-41 E. T. Brown | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .46 | | 2.50 | .48 |
| 5-25-43 Llewellyn J. Gove | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | | 5.45 | | 5.45 |
| 11-30-42 Gile & Rowe | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | | 1.36 | | 1.36 |
| 5-25-43 Martin Gile | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | | 1.46 | 1.25 | .21 |
| 11-4-43 Edwin S. Poore | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | | 2.08 | | 2.08 |
| 8-5-43 Eliza A. Dudley | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | | 1.04 | | 1.04 |
| 1-31-44 Susan B. Greene | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | | .21 | | .21 |
| 5-8-44 Ben F. Poor | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | | | | |
| 11-29-44 Edward H. Gilmore | Pine Grove Cemetery Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | | | | | |
| | | | \$14,381.99 | \$1,608.62 | \$390.94 | \$441.66 | \$1,557.90 |

January 15, 1945

This is to certify that we have examined the financial records of John P. Littlefield, trustee of trust funds, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1944, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY M. GREENE,
MABEL D. FOX,
Auditors, Town of Raymond.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Property tax, 1944, | \$36,813 90 |
| Added property tax, 1944, | 51 46 |
| Poll tax, \$5.00, | 3,260 00 |
| Poll taxes, \$3.00, | 105 00 |
| Added poll taxes, \$5.00, | 35 00 |
| Added poll taxes, \$3.00, | 15 00 |
| Interest, | 28 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$40,280 64 |

1944

| | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Paid treasurer, | \$32,921 68 |
| Unpaid property tax, | 6,198 96 |
| Unpaid \$5.00 polls, | 1,145 00 |
| Unpaid \$3.00 polls, | 15 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$40,280 64 |

1943

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| Property tax, | \$5,017 60 |
| Added property tax, | 5 76 |
| Poll tax, | 396 00 |
| Added poll tax, | 32 00 |
| Interest, | 165 84 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5,617 20 |

1943

| | |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Paid treasurer, | \$5,334 92 |
| Abated property, | 16 06 |
| Abated polls, | 64 00 |
| Uncollected property tax, | 76 22 |
| Uncollected polls, | 126 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5,617 20 |

TOWN OF RAYMOND

41

| | |
|-----------------|----------|
| Redeemed taxes, | \$115 88 |
|-----------------|----------|

| | |
|-----------------|--------|
| Previous years, | 298 18 |
|-----------------|--------|

| | |
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| | \$414 06 |
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|---------------------------------|----------|
| Paid treasurer, redeemed taxes, | \$115 88 |
|---------------------------------|----------|

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|---------------------------------|--------|
| Paid treasurer, previous years, | 298 18 |
|---------------------------------|--------|

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| | \$414 06 |
|--|----------|

GEORGE F. BLANCHARD,

Collector.

**TREASURER'S REPORT OF WATER
DEPARTMENT**

February 1, 1944, to December 31, 1944

Receipts

| | |
|----------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand, | \$4,132 09 |
| Received from: | |
| Water Commissioners, | 3,386 53 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$7,518 62 |

Expenditures

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Paid: | |
| Water Commissioners' orders, | \$3,803 26 |
| Cash on hand, | 3,715 36 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$7,518 62 |

WILL B. GILE,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF RAYMOND WATER WORKS CO., INC.

Fiscal Year Beginning February 1, 1944, Ending
December 31, 1944

Balance Sheet

| | Assets | Liabilities |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Land, | \$295 00 | |
| Water Supply Structure, | 7,025 64 | |
| Pumping Station Structure, | 5,677 05 | |
| Pumping Station Equipment, | 6,495 76 | |
| Mains, | 19,765 04 | |
| Water Storage Equipment, | 5,913 25 | |
| Services, | 1,195 08 | |
| Hydrants, | 1,425 69 | |
| Other Distribution Equipment, | 165 25 | |
| Cash, | 3,715 36 | |
| Material and Supplies, | 140 30 | |
| Accounts Receivable, | 2,256 54 | |
| Notes Payable (Old System), | | \$7,621 00 |
| Municipal Investment, | | 7,406 40 |
| Reserve for Depreciation: | | |
| Water Supply Structure, | | 1,826 63 |
| Pumping Station Structure, | | 1,321 69 |
| Pumping Station Equipment, | | 4,383 81 |
| Mains, | | 11,512 21 |
| Water Storage Equipment, | | 6,004 26 |
| Services, | | 277 92 |
| Hydrants, | | 291 10 |
| Other Distribution Equipment, | | 19 23 |
| Other Accrued Liabilities, | | 1 10 |
| Profit and Loss, | | 13,404 61 |
| | <hr/> | |
| | \$54,069 96 | \$54,069 96 |

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand February 1, 1944, | \$4,132 09 |
| Total receipts, | 3,386 53 |

| | |
|--------|------------|
| Total, | \$7,518 62 |
|--------|------------|

| | Disbursements |
|---|---------------|
| Power Purchased, | \$1,204 99 |
| Repairs to Water Storage Equip- ment, | 775 44 |
| Repairs to Hydrants, | 43 12 |
| Pumping Station Operation and Maintenance, | 169 83 |
| Distribution Labor, | 75 |
| Commercial Supply and Expense, | 173 38 |
| New Services, | 8 38 |
| Merchandise Sales and Job Work, | 50 75 |
| General Expense, | 22 00 |
| General Office Expense, | 175 00 |
| Interest, | 328 00 |
| Bonds, | 800 00 |
| Material and Supplies, | 51 62 |

| | |
|--------|------------|
| Total, | \$3,803 26 |
|--------|------------|

| | |
|--|------------|
| Cash on hand January 1, 1945, | \$3,715 36 |
| Uncollected water bills, year ending Decem- ber 31, 1945, | \$2,256 54 |

Note: This figure is much higher than last year due to the fact our books were closed December 31st instead of January 31st.

EUGENE P. MAYNARD,
JOHN P. LITTLEFIELD,
GEORGE H. GUPTILL,
Water Commissioners.

Meeting of Water Commissioners last Monday of every month, 7:00 P. M.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned auditors for the Town of Raymond, N. H., have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Trustees of Public Funds, Clerk, Trustees of Library, Tax Collector, Treasurer and Water Department for the year ending December 31, 1944, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HARRY M. GREENE,
MABEL D. FOX,

Auditors.

January 22, 1945.

ANNUAL REPORT OF RAYMOND SCHOOL
DISTRICT

Officers of the School District

(February 1, 1945)

Moderator

GEORGE H. GUPTILL

Clerk

LILLIAN P. GILE

Treasurer

WILLIE B. GILE

School Board

ROBERT E. ECCLESTON, Chairman

ROGER E. ELIOT, Clerk

ARTHUR W. SEVERANCE

Superintendent of Schools

GEORGE H. HARMON

Telephone, Residence 136

Office Hours: High School, Mondays 9:00-10:00 a. m.

School Nurse

MARGARET E. CRONIN, R. N.

Residence, 498 Merrimack Street, Manchester

Telephone, Residence 4491

Attendance Officer

ALFRED GOSSELIN

Teachers

| Names | Grades | P. O. Address |
|--------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| Webster W. White, Principal | High School | Raymond |
| Carroll E. Sanderson | High School | Raymond |
| Mary N. Berylson | High School | Raymond |
| Mildred E. Garland | High School | Raymond |
| Iber Holmes | High School | Raymond |
| Muriel E. Small | High School | Raymond |
| Lila E. Nutbrown | Grades 5-6 | Raymond |
| Madeleine C. Waterhouse | Grades 4-5 | Raymond |
| Althea B. Sanderson | Grades 3-4 | Raymond |
| Ruth T. Houghton | Grade 2 | Raymond |
| Elizabeth A. Jackson | Grade 1 | Raymond |
| Mabel E. Reed | Music | 935 Hayward St., Manchester |

Janitor

JOHN LITTLEFIELD

Auditors

HARRY M. GREENE

MABEL D. FOX

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Raymond:

My sixteenth annual report finds your schools enrolling more than two hundred children in the elementary grades and fifty-five pupils in the senior high school. The junior high school, which includes the seventh and eighth grades, has increased over fifty per cent in enrollment since last year. In the same period the senior high school has lost to the war services and industry over thirty per cent of its pupils.

The report of the Enumeration Officer, submitted in September, gives the following age groups and placements:

| | |
|---|-----|
| Boys (5-16 years), 132; Girls (5-16 years), | |
| 120, total, | 252 |
| Of this number the following were not in school: | |
| Below required attendance age (5-8), | 20 |
| Completed elementary grades (14-16), | 1 |
| | — |
| Total, | 21 |
| Total registered in Raymond schools, | 273 |
| Number in Raymond schools over 16 years, | 31 |
| | — |
| Number children (5-16) in Raymond schools, | 242 |
| Number children (5-16) living in other towns, | 11 |
| | — |
| Whole number of RESIDENT children (5-16) accounted for, | 231 |

In the midst of the increasing shortage of professionally trained and experienced teachers, only two changes have occurred in your corps of twelve teachers.

Today as a nation (a) one teacher in seven is new to his position in 1944-45; (b) one in ten is holding an emergency certificate; and (c) one in five is paid less than \$1,200 for the year's work.

A recent survey of salaries, being paid this year in 173 elementary teaching positions in the villages and rural communities of Southern New Hampshire, indicates that less than nine per cent are receiving a salary higher than the average elementary salary paid in Raymond.

In September Miss Mildred E. Garland of Sanbornville succeeded Mrs. Grace S. Kerr as teacher of commerce and social science. Miss Garland received her degree from Plymouth Teachers College in 1944. Her semester of practice teaching was done in the Hampstead high school. In addition to her classroom duties, Miss Garland is coach of girls' basketball and leader of Girl Scouts.

Following the resignation of Mrs. Doris S. Buswell to become supervisor of music in the Littleton-Bethlehem schools, Mrs. Mabel E. Reed of Manchester was selected to fill this vacancy. Mrs. Reed is a 1927 graduate of the music course at Keene. For several years she has taught in the elementary and secondary schools of Maine and New Hampshire. In addition to Raymond, Mrs. Reed has supervision of music in the schools of Candia, Deerfield, Goffstown, Hooksett, and Pembroke Academy.

The most urgent need in the elementary grades is the restoration of the activity room for retarded pupils. This requires the services of a teacher who has specialized in remedial work with children from grades three

to six inclusive. There are, at the present time twenty children whose success in the elementary school will depend upon remedial work with the individual child. It is doubtful if state aid can be anticipated unless a teacher has a home room group of at least thirty pupils. At present no room in the building is available for a group of this size. However, what is now the superintendent's office might be utilized for the remedial instruction of small groups, coming in relays from the various home rooms.

In December standardized achievement tests were given to all pupils in grades three, four, and five. Following are the average scores attained in terms of the grade and month.

| Grades: | III | IV | V |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Standard scores anticipated: | 3-3 | 4-3 | 5-3 |
| Reading and vocabulary, | 3-4 | 4-3 | 5-6 |
| Arithmetic fundamentals, | 3-1 | 3-8 | 4-7 |
| Arithmetic problems, | 3-1 | 3-4 | 4-5 |
| English, | | 4-2 | 5-5 |
| Literature, | | | 5-2 |
| History, | | | 5-2 |
| Geography, | | | 4-8 |
| Spelling, | 2-8 | 3-7 | 4-8 |
| Grade Average, | 3-2 | 4-0 | 5-1 |

These tests are given annually for the purpose of determining both the progress of the individual child and the grade level of the entire class. A complete record is kept of every pupil's report card marks and standardized test scores. Transcripts of these records are now frequently called for by the Selective Service.

It is with regret that restricted transportation still necessitates the temporary abandonment of the annual spelling contest in which the elementary schools of the Union participated for several years. The number and

extent of educational field trips have likewise been restricted.

As an alternative the teachers and pupils are loyally contributing to the war effort. During the school year ending in June, war stamps purchases and bond sales were made as follows by the several rooms:

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Grade 1, | \$202 80 |
| Grade 2, | 104 95 |
| Grades 3-4, | 167 85 |
| Grades 4-5, | 173 70 |
| Grades 5-6, | 134 20 |
| Grades 7-8, | 331 60 |
| Grades 9-12 approximately, | 684 90 |

| | |
|--------------------|------------|
| Approximate total, | \$1,800 00 |
|--------------------|------------|

The teachers and pupils wish to thank those individuals who, by purchasing bonds through the schools, made possible this record of achievement.

The report of Headmaster Webster W. White indicates that stamp and bond sales are progressing well this year. We hope to pass the \$2,000 goal by next June.

In the recent salvage drive, the Raymond schools collected and sold nearly four tons of waste paper. Additional collections are being made. The superintendent heartily recommends the objective to which the proceeds of paper sales are being devoted—the purchase of a new 16 m.m. sound-on-film projector.

PATHS TO BETTER SCHOOLS, issued this month by the National Education Association of Washington, D. C., says, "We believe increased use of audio-visual aides which should come rapidly as materials and personnel are released after the war will increase greatly the thoroughness and extensiveness of learning."

The annual report of your school nurse for the year ending last June shows:

| | |
|--|-----|
| Total number of pupils examined, | 295 |
| Number successfully vaccinated, | 295 |
| Number excluded on account of communicable diseases, | 92 |
| Number of visits of nurse to schools, | 333 |
| Number of visits of nurse to homes, | 170 |

Report of Examinations and Follow-up Work:

| | No. Pupils Affected | Receiving Treatment | Defects Corrected |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Underweight (10%), | 10 | 10 | 6 |
| Defective vision, | 5 | | 5 |
| Nervous condition, | 3 | 3 | |
| Pulmonary disease, | 1 | 1 | |
| Deformity, | 2 | 2 | |
| Defective teeth, | 128 | | 34 |
| Diseased tonsils, | 2 | | 1 |
| Enlarged glands, | 2 | 2 | |
| Defective speech, | 2 | | |

Cases of Communicable Diseases:

| | |
|---------------|----|
| Chicken pox, | 12 |
| Measles, | 52 |
| Pediculosis, | 3 |
| Skin disease, | 2 |

Special Work

"Patch Test" given to 57 high school pupils.

Positive reactions found in nine cases.

X-Rays of eight cases show no active disease. One case re-checked and re-examined by Dr. Kerr, and provision made for admittance to the Glencliffe Sanitarium.

Children, recently recovered from chicken pox, measles, and scarlet fever, are carefully examined by the school nurse for difficulty in hearing. Parents can

assist by reporting to the school nurse any signs of hearing difficulty noticed in the home.

The demands of armed services still prevent the conducting of dental clinics in the school. Since last year the number of children, having dental defects, has increased nearly six per cent, but the correction of these defects has decreased more than fifty per cent. This is doubly unfortunate, both in consideration of the immediate comfort of many children, and in view of their normal health and development.

The Headmaster's report makes it apparent that the patronage of hot lunches has outgrown the present facilities. Besides, the extension of time, devoted to the serving of the noon lunches, conflicts with the daily time table of several high school classes. Since the hot lunches are a most vital feature of your health program, they should by all means be continued. The value of this service warrants the employment of a competent woman to cooperate with the home economics teacher and thus release pupils for regular class work.

A basement room, now occupied by the fifth and sixth grades, is designed eventually for the preparing and serving of hot lunches independently of the home economics department.

The Raymond High School Canning Center, a feature of vocational training for rural war production workers, approved for federal support by the State Director of Food Production War Training through the office of the State Board of Education, served from June through October sixty-one patrons, who brought in food materials, and a total of nearly one hundred individuals who participated in the preparation of fruits, vegetables, meats, and fish for processing. A total of 5,697 cans, including both metal and glass containers,

were processed for family use. With the exception of food materials and containers, this community service was free to all patrons.

Details of equipment are given in the report of the teacher of agriculture who, assisted by the school janitor and several other citizens, enlarged the building and installed all operating facilities.

Employed on the project were Miss Iber Holmes, instructor; Mr. Harry F. Brown, engineer; and Miss Edna P. Severance, clerk.

Following the recommendations made by the shop teacher, Mr. Sanderson, in his 1944 report, new benches and tool cabinets have been built in the woodworking room. Both this room and the science laboratory have been refinished. A new stairway, well lighted and leading directly to the forge and welding room in the basement, insures greater safety and convenience.

Individual sets of carpenter's tools have been recently procured for each working station in the manual training room.

Unsolved problems are (1) the relocation of the science laboratory to enlarge the present woodworking shop; (2) a new heating system for the entire shop building; and (3) housing facilities for metal working machinery and aeronautical equipment, donated by government and army agencies.

Curriculum changes in agriculture and in other vocational fields are foreseen in VOCATIONAL TRAINING PROBLEMS "When the War Ends" by J. C. Wright, Assistant U. S. Commissioner for Vocational Education. Dr. Wright says, "A million or more farm-reared young men will return to the farms from their experience in the army with mechanized equipment and with a realization of (a) the potentialities in mechan-

ization, and (b) the need for special skill in operating, repairing, and servicing such equipment. New and increased pressures are bound to be exerted upon public vocational education for training that will equip rural young men to (a) use these skills productively in agriculture, and (b) use these skills servicing agricultural equipment."

Right now there is increasing evidence that pre-induction and pre-vocational courses in high schools are assuming greater significance on the immediate horizon of many of our youth.

Present and post-war problems are destined to bring forth changes, particularly in the organization of the high schools; and to focus attention on new areas of learning in all schools; and to intensify the ideal of an "equal chance." To this end the schools value and solicit the intelligent cooperation of every home, and the genuine interest of all citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. HARMON,

Superintendent of Schools.

February 17, 1945.

Statistics for the Year Ending June 30, 1944

| | Grades: | | | | | 7-8 | 9-12 | Averages and Aggregates |
|---------------------------------------|---------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------------------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3-4 | 4-5 | 5-6 | | | |
| ½-days in session | 354 | 354 | 354 | 354 | 354 | 354 | 354 | 354 |
| ½-days lost | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Total enrollment | 37 | 35 | 37 | 30 | 34 | 43 | 81 | 297 |
| Average membership | 31.8 | 30.2 | 34.2 | 26.6 | 32.9 | 38 | 72.3 | 266 |
| Per cent of attendance | 84.5 | 88.5 | 90.5 | 89.1 | 93 | 90 | 89.2 | 89.3 |
| Per cent of promotions | 84.4 | 83.3 | 91.2 | 96.3 | 93.9 | 94.4 | 95.6 | 91.9 |
| Number pupils transported by district | 16 | 17 | 10 | 9 | 13 | 12 | 37 | 114 |
| Number non-resident pupils | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 24 |
| Number pupils not absent or tardy | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Number tardinesses per pupil | 1.9 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 2.1 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 3.1 | 2.4 |
| Number visits by school board | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Number visits by superintendent | 12 | 15 | 7 | 26 | 17 | 24 | 52 | 153 |
| Number visits by school nurse | 44 | 40 | 32 | 38 | 40 | 36 | 43 | 273 |
| Number visits by citizens and others | 21 | 24 | 8 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 75 |

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Raymond High School

June 14, 1944

Barbara Ann Berry
Rosamond Warren Clarke
Lois Sylvia Cope
Shirley Elizabeth DePew
Effie Fasekis
Helen Linnea Fellman
Barbara Louise French
Barbara Ann Kebbe
Delma Arthur Langille
Charlena Ruth Littlefield
Ivernia Virginia Lyman
Jacqueline May Lyman
Martha Mildred Moody
Edward Watterson Moulton
Lillian Elaine Orfield
Forrest Hovey Page
William Francis Peaslee
Alice Marie Purinton
Joan Ethel Shepard
Barbara Lillian Tuffey

HONOR ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For School Year Ending June 30, 1944

36 Weeks (School Year)

Joseph Ryan, Marilyn Titus, Jean Waterhouse,
Neal F. Welch.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Raymond, N. H. School Year, 1944-1945

Approved and adopted by the School Board,

July 24, 1944

| 1944 | Weeks | Days |
|--|-------|------|
| First period opens Wednesday, Sep- tember 6, closes Wednesday, November 29, (4 days vacation) | 12 | 1 |
| Second period opens Monday, De- cember 4, closes Friday, Decem- ber 22, (10 days vacation) | 3 | |
| 1945 | | |
| Third period opens Tuesday, Janu- ary 2, closes Wednesday, Febru- ary 21, (11 days vacation) | 7 | 2 |
| Fourth period opens Monday, March 5, closes Friday, April 20, (9 days vacation) | 7 | |
| Fifth period opens Monday, April 30, closes Friday, June 15, | 7 | |

No School Days

1. Deerfield Fair, Friday, September 29.
2. Columbus Day, Thursday, October 12.
3. State Teachers Convention, Manchester, Thursday and Friday, October 19-20.
4. Memorial Day, Wednesday, May 30.
5. State Institutes as provided by Law, Chapter 135, Section 41.

The Regular Hours of School:

Grades I-II, 8:45-11:00 a. m., 1:00-3:00 p. m.

Grades III-XII, 8:45-11:50 a. m., 1:00-3:50 p. m.

All teachers to be on duty at 8:30 a. m.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1945-46

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1945.

| | High School | Elementary School |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| Support of Schools: | | |
| Teachers' salaries, | \$8,750 00 | \$8,750 00 |
| Textbooks, | 300 00 | 250 00 |
| Scholars' supplies, | 350 00 | 300 00 |
| Flags and appurtenances, | 5 00 | 15 00 |
| Other expenses of instruction, | 150 00 | 200 00 |
| Janitor service, | 600 00 | 1,100 00 |
| Fuel, | 500 00 | 900 00 |
| Water, light, and janitors' supplies, | 150 00 | 350 00 |
| Minor repairs and expenses, | 100 00 | 150 00 |
| Health supervision, | 100 00 | 500 00 |
| Transportation of pupils, | 500 00 | 3,350 00 |
| Other special activities, | 50 00 | 50 00 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$11,555 00 | \$15,915 00 |
| | | \$27,470 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$27,470 00 |

Other Statutory Requirements:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Salaries of district officers (fixed by district), | \$345 00 |
| Truant officer and school census (fixed by district), | 100 00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by Supervisory Union), | 578 94 |

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| Per capita tax (report of State Treasurer), | 546 00 |
| Payment of district debt, | 1,000 00 |
| Interest on district debt, | 357 50 |
| Other obligations imposed by law or established by district: | |
| Administration, | 250 00 |
| Insurance, | 390 00 |
| New equipment, | 300 00 |
| | <hr/> \$3,867 44 |
| Total amount required to meet school board's budget, | <hr/> \$31,337 44 |
| Estimated Income of District | |
| Balance June 30, 1945 (estimate), | \$467 44 |
| State Aid (December, 1945, estimate), | 5,250 00 |
| Dog tax (estimate), | 300 00 |
| High school tuition receipts (estimate), | 2,000 00 |
| Federal Aid for vocational courses (estimate), | 1,100 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation), | \$9,117 44 |
| | <hr/> |
| Assessment required to balance school board's budget, | \$22,220 00 |

ROBERT E. ECCLESTON,
 ROGER E. ELIOT,
 ARTHUR W. SEVERANCE,
 School Board of Raymond.

Raymond, N. H., February 20, 1945.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1944

Summary

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1943 (Treasurer's bank balance), | \$432 93 |
| Received from Selectmen: | |
| Appropriations for current year, | \$20,500 00 |
| Received from State Treasurer: | |
| State Aid, | 5,086 19 |
| Federal Vocational Education, | 2,155 69 |
| Federal reimbursements (O. S. Y. A.), | 38 90 |
| Received from all other sources, | 2,229 73 |
| | <hr/> \$30,010 51 |
| Total amount available for fis- cal year (balance and re- ceipts), | \$30,443 44 |
| Less school board order paid, | 29,089 48 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1944 (Treasurer's bank bal- ance), | \$1,353 96 |

WILL B. GILE,
District Treasurer.

July 11, 1944.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Raymond, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and find them correct in all respects.

MABEL D. FOX,
HARRY M. GREENE,

Auditors.

July 12, 1944.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1944

State and Federal Aid:

| | | |
|---|------------|------------|
| Equalization fund for elementary schools, | \$5,086 19 | |
| Smith-Hughes or George-Deen Federal Aid for vocational education, | 2,155 69 | |
| | <hr/> | \$7,241 88 |

Income from Local Taxation:

| | | |
|--|------------|-------------|
| For the Support of Elementary Schools, | \$8,351 00 | |
| For the Support of High Schools, | 7,572 23 | |
| For the Salaries of District Officers, | 445 00 | |
| For the Payment of Principal of Debt, | 1,000 00 | |
| For the Payment of Interest on Debt, | 412 50 | |
| For the Payment of Per Capita Tax, | 544 00 | |
| For the Superintendent's Excess Salary, | 482 90 | |
| For Other Obligations Imposed by Law or Established by District: | | |
| Administration, | 175 00 | |
| Insurance, | 390 00 | |
| New equipment, | 100 00 | |
| Special Appropriations—School Lunches, | 100 00 | |
| Balance of Previous Appropriations, | 927 37 | |
| | <hr/> | \$20,500 00 |

From Sources Other than Taxation:

| | | |
|--|----------|-------------|
| Elementary School Tuitions, | \$18 00 | |
| High School Tuitions, | 2,158 36 | |
| Sale of Supplies, | 48 37 | |
| Rent of Auditorium, | 5 00 | |
| Reimbursement from tempo- rary federal agencies (O. S. Y. A.), | 38 90 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2,268 63 |
| Total receipts from all sources, | | \$30,010 51 |
| Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1943 | | 432 93 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Grand Total, | | \$30,443 44 |

Payments

Administration:

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Salaries of District Officers, | \$350 00 | |
| Superintendent's Excess Sal- ary, | 415 37 | |
| Truant Officer and School Census, | 102 13 | |
| Expenses of Administration, | 298 79 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,166 29 |

Instruction:

| | | |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Principal's and Teachers' Sal- aries, | \$15,028 90 | |
| Text Books, | 390 81 | |
| Scholars' Supplies, | 741 36 | |
| Flags and Appurtenances, | 33 46 | |
| Other Expenses of Instruction, | 216 19 | |
| | <hr/> | \$16,410 72 |

Operation and Maintenance of

School Plant:

| | |
|------------------|------------|
| Janitor Service, | \$1,213 15 |
| Fuel, | 1,290 99 |

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|----------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Water, Light, Janitor's Sup- | | |
| plies, | 515 00 | |
| Minor Repairs and Expenses, | 98 88 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,118 02 |
| Auxiliary Agencies and | | |
| Special Activities: | | |
| Medical Inspection, | \$533 74 | |
| Transportation of Pupils, | 3,650 00 | |
| Other Special Activities, | 13 33 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,197 07 |
| Fixed Charges: | | |
| Tax for State Wide Super- | | |
| vision, | \$544 00 | |
| Insurance and other fixed | | |
| charges, | 342 68 | |
| | <hr/> | \$886 68 |
| Outlay for Construction and | | |
| Equipment: | | |
| Lands and New Buildings, | \$684 90 | |
| Alterations of Old Buildings, | 718 49 | |
| New Equipment, | 222 55 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,625 94 |
| Debt, Interest, and Other | | |
| Charges: | | |
| Payments of Principal of | | |
| Debt, | \$1,000 00 | |
| Payments of Interest on Debt, | 412 50 | |
| Payments of Notes or Bills | | |
| from Previous Year, | 272 26 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,684 76 |
| Total payments for all purposes, | | \$29,089 48 |
| Total Cash on Hand at End of | | |
| Year (June 30, 1944), | | 1,353 96 |
| | <hr/> | |
| Grand total, | | \$30,443 44 |

Assets, June 30, 1944

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Cash on hand (Balance June 30, 1944), | \$1,353 96 |
| Accounts due District: | |
| From Town, 1943 Appropriation, | 1,850 77 |
| Refund, O. S. Y. A., | 44 00 |
| Dog Tax, 1943, | 343 45 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Assets, | \$3,592 18 |
| Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt), | 10,972 29 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | \$14,564 47 |

Liabilities, June 30, 1944

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Equalization Fund (Unexpended), | \$138 27 |
| Withholding Tax, | 426 20 |
| Bonds Outstanding: | |
| Merchants National Bank of Manchester, | 14,000 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Liabilities, | \$14,564 47 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | \$14,564 47 |

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

ROBERT E. ECCLESTON,
ROGER E. ELIOT,
ARTHUR W. SEVERANCE,

School Board.

GEORGE H. HARMON,

Superintendent.

July 10, 1944.

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Raymond, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MABEL D. FOX,
HARRY M. GREENE,

Auditors.

July 12, 1944.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

To the Superintendent and School Board:

In my first annual report I will present some of the activities and problems that are a part of the school curriculum or related to the students under extra-curricular subjects.

The Pynecone was published by the students under the expert guidance of the Seniors who used their share of the profits to purchase a Fifty dollar War Bond. They plan to use the bond to cover the cost of their tenth anniversary celebration.

Dr. Kerr, State Tuberculosis Specialist cooperated last spring in examining all students who reacted to the Patch Test. One girl was found with active T. B. and is making a successful recovery at Glencliff. I think if parents realized the seriousness of this disease, they would insist that their children be examined each year.

Summer improvements to the building have relieved the congested classroom conditions by eliminating the need for conducting classes in the small rooms off the Gymnasium. Teaching efficiency is increased since study rooms are provided where schedules permit. The present improvements to the shop should greatly improve the congestion that has been prevalent in those courses. There is a strong need to renew the Opportunity Class which was so successful a few years ago. Many pupils need the attention this type of class would make available.

The High School students are carrying on their good record in buying War Stamps and Bonds and continue to keep the Minute Man Flag. So far this year the entire student body has purchased \$790.00 of

Stamps, or enough to buy one life boat, five flying suits and three stretchers.

A small group of students took complete responsibility in decorating a float for the Deerfield Fair in September. That they did a good job is attested by the First Prize of \$25.00 they earned for their school. Home Economics, Agriculture, and Grade School exhibits were put in competition and many ribbons and prizes were won. Next year the schools hope to have one day of the Fair devoted to athletic events such as track for both boys and girls.

The physical fitness program is conducted whenever time permits. The Gymnasium is open four noons each week under the supervision of Miss Garland. Time is allotted on an equal basis to the High and Junior classes. Grade teachers are permitted to use the Gymnasium and are urged to plan athletic programs for their children. All students using the floor for athletic events are requested to wear sneakers or similar footwear.

The school has cooperated with Army and Navy officials and with industrial concerns in furthering the war effort. Our students continue to hold their high record of achievement on entering the services. One veteran has been readmitted to school. His adjustment has been very good, bringing credit to himself and the community.

School lunches are served daily to an average of about one hundred twenty students. In order to relieve congestion some pupils are permitted to eat at 11:30. There is neither space nor available personnel to handle such a large group. Unless some improvement is made, I would suggest the hot lunch be served only to those pupils recommended by the school nurse.

The entire student body is working to earn money for a Moving Picture Sound Projector. I believe the need for such a machine will be appreciated by the people of the town who will cooperate by saving paper, scrap iron, and other materials for the students. The educational value of visual aids becomes stronger as better films for school use are released. The war has greatly increased the development of this phase of education. The school already has \$57.00 from the sale of paper collected in the last drive.

The Grade and Junior High pupils collected forty-eight bushels of milkweed pods last fall. High honors went to Grades V and VI in Mrs. Nutbrown's room.

Mr. Leavitt, the State Inspector, called January 24th. His report will be submitted at a later date.

Due to transportation it is difficult to carry on normal athletic activities. We managed to complete a successful baseball season with both boys' and girls' teams. Delma Langille was our one contender at the State Track Meet at Durham. He won second place in the mile and half-mile runs, winning two silver medals and a silver loving cup. Last fall our Cross-country team had meets with Epping and represented the school at Coe-Brown where the Southeastern Meet was held. This winter we have had a full schedule for the basketball teams. To date the boys have won eight games and lost two. All athletic teams have displayed good sportsmanship in competition whether they won or lost. Physical examinations are requested of all students who make the teams.

Respectfully submitted,

WEBSTER W. WHITE,

Headmaster.

REPORT OF AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

To the Superintendent and School Board:

During the past year we have seen several changes in plans, schedules, and school itself.

A year ago all the shop classes were very busily engaged working on the hangar. At the time it seemed justified to spend part of a school year on a building that would enlarge the school's instructional facilities so much.

After school closed last June the canning center was started. The old porch was torn off the Civilian Defense building, and a new room twelve feet wide, was built on to increase the floor space of the building. As soon as the building as well started, canning center equipment began to arrive—a ten horsepower high pressure, steam boiler, a 3'x4'x6' cooling tank, sinks, exhaust vat, and retort, along with three or four hundred feet of piping.

As Agricultural teacher I was automatically supervisor of the canning center, and it was my duty to see that the project was successfully started. An eight-foot doorway was cut through the south wall of the building to give better access to the new part. The whole inside of the building was refinished, the piping for three double sinks, the retorts, cooling vat, and exhaust vats was completed about August first.

Miss Holmes, the instructor, moved in on July 24th and the Raymond High School Canning Center was officially opened.

Because of the cooperation between the War Food Production Training Program and the Home Economics Supervisors, no equipment was taken from the

Home Economics Classroom to the canning center. Therefore one can scarcely imagine the actual dollars and cents that have been invested in our Canning Center, the second in New Hampshire to start operating.

The instructor and supervisor were sent to a training school at Warner, New Hampshire, for three days in June to learn how to properly equip, conduct, and supervise the Center. Then we received our practical experience later in the summer.

During the canning season 5,697 cans were processed similar to the following method.

The product to be canned is first washed and prepared on the preparation tables and put into large collanders to be rinsed. This is done on linoleum-covered tables, from which it is slid along to the blanching sink where it is heated to boiling by introducing live steam into the sinks to swell the substance. After blanching it is put into cans, the type of lining determined by the product being canned. While it is still hot the cans are filled within half an inch of the top with syrup, hot water or juice, then set into an exhaust vat. Here the product in the cans is heated to 185 degrees again by driving steam under pressure into water. This removes all air from the cans just before they are sealed. The sealing is done on a semi-automatic electric sealer which is positive in action and far safer than the older hand-type sealers.

Next the cans are put into large baskets that fit into the retorts, where the contents are cooked under five, ten, or fifteen pounds steam pressure. The retorts are so constructed that even a child can fill and empty the large 105-quart cooker.

After cooking the specified time the cans are removed from the retorts and lowered into the cooling

tank which contains three feet of circulating cold water. When cooled, so that they can be easily handled with the bare hands, they are wiped dry and are ready to be taken home.

About August first, the lumber for the benches in the shop was priced, but no lumber concern in a hundred mile radius would give us a quotation. Finally we received a price quotation from a wood heel manufacturer, but delivery would be slow because of the size we wanted.

The middle of December the necessary lumber and a carpenter appeared. A new stairway has been installed in the shop building, a tool cabinet and several storage cabinets constructed. New rock maple benches line the walls supported by welded angle iron legs. Each bench has a drawer full of tools for the manual training boys and vise for shop work. The whole shop has been repainted inside, and new light fixtures installed in the center of the wood and forge shops.

This year we are justly proud of the improvements in our shop building and hope that we may adequately show our appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

CARROLL E. SANDERSON,

Instructor.

REPORT OF HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

To the Superintendent and School Board:

In the fall of 1943 the Home Economics classes canned for the community, as has been the custom for several years. They preserved 504 quarts of fruits and vegetables; and made 179 glasses of jelly and jam for home consumption. Through the generosity of Henry Greenwood and Lewis Holmes the classes were able to preserve 235 quarts of vegetables for school lunch and make 36 quarts of pickle.

During January, February, and March the cooking classes provided a hot meal at noon for an average of 88 pupils.

The sewing classes have enjoyed using the electric machines that were made available to us through the break-up of the N. Y. A. Project. Sixty-three machine-made garments were made in the sewing classes as well as various hand projects including embroidery, knitting, crocheting, weaving, and tatting. Special emphasis this year was placed on the care and repair of clothing.

The Home Management Class, as their last class project, painted several articles of furniture and the inside of cupboards in the Home Economics rooms. We hope it will be possible to repaint the walls of the two rooms this summer as they have not been done for some time and need attention.

In conclusion you will find a financial statement of the money the department has earned this year.

TOWN OF RAYMOND

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|----------------------------------|----------|
| Money earned from sale of meals, | \$456 98 |
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Expenses

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Holt's, (dishes) | \$10 59 |
| Singer sewing machine, (bobbins), | 2 00 |
| Blake's, (paint) | 1 76 |
| Telephone, | 60 |
| First National Stores, | 65 04 |
| A & P Stores, | 7 41 |
| Fasekis, | 1 20 |
| Wheadon, | 2 58 |
| Whittier, | 5 51 |
| White Cross, | 64 58 |
| Dockham, | 294 95 |

\$456 22

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| Balance, | 76 |
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\$456 98

Respectfully submitted,

IBER HOLMES,

June 24, 1944.

Births Registered in the Town of Raymond for the Year Ending December 31, 1944

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth | Name of the Child (if any) | Sex | Liv. or Stillborn | No. of Child | Color | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Color of Parents | Residence of Parents | Occupation of Father | Birthplace of Father | Birthplace of Mother |
|---------------|----------------|----------------------------|-----|-------------------|--------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1944 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan. 25 | Brentwood | Carroll | M | L | 10 | All White | Carl W. Cate | Freda W. Goodridge | Raymond | Raymond | Storekeeper | E. Calais, Vt. | Hardwick, Vt. |
| Jan. 25 | Brentwood | Carolyne | F | L | 11 | | Carl W. Cate | Freda W. Goodridge | Raymond | Raymond | Storekeeper | E. Calais, Vt. | Hardwick, Vt. |
| Jan. 17 | Exeter | Lily Joan | F | L | 13 | | Henry W. Greenwood | Della W. McLaughlin | Raymond | Raymond | Filling Sta. P. | Other Riv., Ms. | Lowell, Ms. |
| Feb. 6 | Brentwood | Susan Meredith | F | L | 1 | | Asmond L. Maxwell | Helen M. Gates | Raymond | Raymond | Clergyman | Elliston, Ga. | Artesia, N. M. |
| Mar. 12 | Exeter | Lionel Theodore | M | L | 4 | | Lionel T. Dearborn | Anna F. Gagnon | Raymond | Raymond | Mill Worker | Raymond | New Boston |
| Apr. 28 | Exeter | Richard Lee | M | L | 2 | | Dexter R. Underhill | Bessie I. Sheys | Raymond | Raymond | Navy Yard Wkr. | Epping | Hampton Beach |
| May 2 | Exeter | Carolyn Ann | F | L | 1 | | Reginald H. Brown | Eva M. Greenwood | Raymond | Raymond | Poultryman | Raymond | Londonderry |
| May 20 | Exeter | Jerry Dale | M | L | 6 | | Earl E. Wilbur | Anna Matosky | Raymond | Raymond | Mine Foreman | Raymond | Northampton, Ms. |
| May 23 | Exeter | Frank Stuart | M | L | 3 | | Calvin J. Langford | Bertha L. Marston | Raymond | Raymond | Elec. Helper | Raymond | Melrose, Ms. |
| June 9 | Raymond | Lois Florence | F | L | 4 | | Fenton P. Cottrell | Clara D. Charter | Raymond | Raymond | Navy Yard Wkr. | Salem | Candia |
| July 2 | Exeter | Audrey Jean | F | L | 7 | | Ivan C. Reed | Mary A. Marshall | Raymond | Raymond | Shoe Worker | Raymond | Haverhill, Ms. |
| Aug. 29 | Exeter | Mary Elizabeth | F | L | 1 | | Harold L. Barnes | Shirley W. Jones | Raymond | Raymond | Lumber Con. | Raymond | Swampscott, Ms. |
| Sept. 19 | Exeter | Frank Barry | F | L | 5 | | George E. Davis | Althea E. Laher | Raymond | Raymond | Truck Driver | Deerfield | Haver |
| Sept. 25 | Raymond | Ralph Healey | M | L | 3 | | Frank A. Florence | Josephine V. Rollins | Raymond | Raymond | Lab'r | Deerfield | Manchester |
| Oct. 24 | Exeter | Thomas Kenneth | M | L | 7 | | Nellie V. Duncan | Eleanor K. Saily | Raymond | Raymond | U. S. Army | Raymond | Everett, Ms. |
| Nov. 4 | Exeter | Thomas Patrick | M | L | 2 | | Kenneth H. Hayes | Etta M. Brown | Raymond | Raymond | Navy Yard Wkr. | Raymond | Raymond |
| Nov. 10 | Exeter | Harry Clinton | M | L | 8 | | Harry Hall | Clara L. Brown | Raymond | Raymond | Navy Yard Wkr. | Raymond | Raymond |
| Dec. 13 | Exeter | Ann Marguerite | F | L | 5 | | Howard L. Brown | Bessie E. Bean | Raymond | Raymond | Navy Yard Wkr. | Raymond | Raymond |
| Dec. 27 | Exeter | Judith Eleanor | F | L | 4 | | Milton S. Farrington | Eleanor C. Dodge | Raymond | Raymond | Navy Yard Wkr. | Manchester, Me. | Epping |

Marriages Registered in the Town of Raymond for the Year Ending December 31, 1944

| Date of Marriage | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Age in Years | Min., Mar., Wid. | Place of Birth of Each | Name of Parents | Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married |
|------------------|-------------------|---|--------------|------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|
| 1944 Feb. 19 | Fremont | Geo. J. Middleton Annie M. Fields | 35 56 | S D | Bethel, Vt. Bethelgillad, Vt. | Robert Middleton Susan Williams John F. Stearns | Rev. W. T. Shannon Fremont |
| Mar. 2 | Fremont | Rutredge S. West Dorothy E. Fifield | 20 23 | S D | Fremont Haverhill, Ms. | Annie E. Sherman Chas. F. West Myrtie B. Willey Everett Capon | Rev. W. T. Shannon Fremont |
| 9 | Epping | Donald W. Durkee Jeannette C. Bond | 19 20 | S S | Cleveland, O. W. N'bury, Ms. | Hazel F. Barnes William D. Durkee Mary Allen William W. Bond | Rev. J. E. Vaccarest Epping |
| 11 | Raymond | Reginald H. Brown Eva May Greenwood | 20 17 | S S | Raymond Londonderry | Ethel DeWitt George I. Brown Clara A. Fitts Henry W. Greenwood | Rev. O. L. Maxwell Raymond |
| 24 | Raymond | Arthur G. Philan Gertrude M. LeCourt | 43 43 | D D | Nova Scotia Ontario | Delia M. McLaughlin George Philan Elizabeth Murphy Charles Gravelle | G. W. Purinton, J. P. Raymond |
| 18 | Dover | Herbert H. Rowe Elsie Mae Bocash | 20 20 | S S | Gonic Deerfield | Margeth Carte Edgar Rowe Lillian Glidden Arthur Bocash | Rev. B. N. Maxfield Dover |
| Apr. 15 | Derry | Donald C. Smith Irene Rose Greenwood | 20 19 | S S | N'wburypt, Ms. Derry | Gertrude Domina Cyrus G. Smith Georgiana B. Atkins Henry W. Greenwood Delia M. McLaughlin | Rev. H. T. Joslyn Derry |

Marriages Registered in the Town of Raymond—Continued

| Date of Marriage | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Age in Years | Single, Married, Wid. | Place of Birth of Each | Name of Parents | Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married |
|------------------|-------------------|--|--------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| 1944 May 5 | Berwick, Me. | Nigel D. Chapman Virginia W. Chester | 20 18 | S Lee S Easton, Ms. | | Nigel D. Chapman Marion Cook Frank J. Chester | R. R. Matthews, N. P. |
| June 10 | Raymond | John R. MacDonald Katherine Donaghue | 28 27 | D E. Boston, Ms. S Medford, Ms. | | Winifred E. Godfrey John W. MacDonald Lillian M. M'Donald Patrick J. Donaghue Ann L. McQueeney | G. W. Purinton, J. P. Raymond |
| Aug. 6 | Salem | Earl G. Estabrook Madeline M. Mearns | 51 55 | W New Brunswick W New Brunswick | | Geo. F. Estabrook Arabelle McPhee Herbert Dickey Ellen M. Parker | Rev. J. G. Trick Salem |
| 28 | Raymond | Basil G. Skalkas Pauline R. Lacatoure | 24 25 | S Lowell, Ms. S Lowell, Ms. | | George B. Skalkas Albina St. Hilaire Henry W. Lacatoure Marie J. Carle | Rev. J. E. Vaccarest Epping |
| Sept. 1 | Manchester | Henry Page Hazel Ida McHarg | 54 52 | D Manchester W Chelsea, Ms. | | Adeline Blanchard Chas. H. Pidgeon Jennie G. Young | Chas. D. Barnard, J. P. Manchester |
| Sept. 24 | Dover | Calvin G. Witham Clara Campbell | 18 18 | S Northwood Ctr. S S. B'wick, Me. | | Melvin W. Witham Marjette LeBaron Clyde F. Campbell Dorothy K. Frost | Rev. R. S. Hesser Dover |
| 30 | Raymond | Thomas J. McKeon Hazel I. Stowe | 50 53 | S Manchester S Lowell, Ms. | | Thomas McKeon Mary J. Cotter Willard R. Stowe Jennie M. Vandyne | Rev. Chas. W. Frye Raymond |

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| 23 | Concord | Carroll E. Sanderson | 25 | S Boscawen | J. Harry Sanderson Olive Stone Earl F. Boutwell Florence M. Barnard James Sinclair Mary S. Langley Thomas Cote | Rev. E. A. Shepherd Concord |
| 15 | Raymond | Althea Boutwell Harry G. Sinclair Frances M. Dyer | 22 42 38 | S Concord S Epping D Candia | James C. Clement Mary Archambeault Percy E. Jewell Flora A. Taylor Carroll Rand Alberta Hull John Campbell Addie Buckley | Rev. Chas. W. Frye Raymond |
| Oct. 1 | Exeter | James C. Clement Barbara Jewell | 20 25 | S Lawrence, Ms. S Exeter | Alice C. Gasper James C. Clement Mary Archambeault Percy E. Jewell Flora A. Taylor Carroll Rand Alberta Hull John Campbell Addie Buckley | Rev. Paul T. Martin Exeter |
| 8 | Raymond | Ernest D. Rand Loretta J. Campbell | 18 25 | S Manchester S Eau Claire, Wis. | Howard Laurence Evelyn Woodbury Benj. M. Woods Bernice Morrison William H. Eaton Lizzie Robinson Moses Germani Grace Miller | Rev. Chas. W. Frye Raymond |
| Nov. 18 | Epping | Woodbury J. Laurence Frances L. Woods | 20 21 | S Haverhill, Ms. S Epping | Howard Laurence Evelyn Woodbury Benj. M. Woods Bernice Morrison William H. Eaton Lizzie Robinson Moses Germani Grace Miller | Rev. J. E. Vaccarest Epping |
| 19 | Epping | William H. Eaton Gertrude Raymond | 21 37 | S Epping W Goffstown | Howard Laurence Evelyn Woodbury Benj. M. Woods Bernice Morrison William H. Eaton Lizzie Robinson Moses Germani Grace Miller | Rev. C. J. Beale Epping |
| Dec. 3 | Charlestown | George E. Harmon Audry V. Mullett | 24 23 | S Concord S Ashuelot | Howard Laurence Evelyn Woodbury Benj. M. Woods Bernice Morrison William H. Eaton Lizzie Robinson Moses Germani Grace Miller | Rev. R. E. Kyper Walpole |
| 17 | Raymond | Leo W. King Barbara L. French | 19 18 | S New London S Danville | Howard Laurence Evelyn Woodbury Benj. M. Woods Bernice Morrison William H. Eaton Lizzie Robinson Moses Germani Grace Miller | Rev. Chas. W. Frye Raymond |
| 25 | Raymond | Glenn B. Frizzle Muriel R. Brown | 26 25 | S Nova Scotia S Nova Scotia | Howard Laurence Evelyn Woodbury Benj. M. Woods Bernice Morrison William H. Eaton Lizzie Robinson Moses Germani Grace Miller | Ralph H. Sanborn J. P. Raymond |

Deaths Registered in the Town of Raymond for the Year Ending December 31, 1944

| Date of Death | Place of Death | Name and Surname of Deceased | Age in Years | | | Place of Birth | Sex | Color | | | Occupation | Place of Birth | | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|--------------|-------|--|----------------|-----|-------|------|------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | Mos. | Days | | | | Sm. | Mar. | Wid. | | Father | Mother | | |
| 1944 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan. 13 | Derry | Clarence Fullerton | 71 | 1 28 | | Raymond | M | | | | S Shoe Worker | Raymond | Raymond | John D. Fullerton | Loena Poore |
| Feb. 4 | Ran ph, Ms. | James Gallacher | 59 | 7 12 | | Scotland | M | | | | M Thermo. Mfr. | Scotland | Scotland | James Gallacher | Jeannette Rafferty |
| Mar. 9 | Raymond | Merion E. Lane | 77 | 5 27 | | Raymond | M | | | | W Farmer | Boston | Raymond | Henry H. Lane | Hattie W. Lane |
| 14 | Raymond | Louis Gamache | 73 | | | Manchester | M | | | | S Shoe Worker | Not Known | Not Known | Not Known | Not Known |
| 17 | Brentwood | Burleigh F. Hills | 100 | 1 11 | | Epping | M | | | | W Farmer | Not Known | Not Known | Not Known | Not Known |
| Apr. 20 | Raymond | George E. Brackett | 74 | 4 24 | | Berlin | M | | | | M Watchman | Deerfield | Canada | Geo. W. Brackett | Addie E. Brown |
| June 11 | Raymond | Henry J. Tetreault | 61 | 11 29 | | Raymond | M | | | | M Farmer | Franklin, Vt. | Canada | Francis Tetreault | Mary Bussiere |
| 27 | Raymond | Darlen L. Sweeney | 12 | 3 28 | | Raymond | F | | | | S School Girl | Raymond | Dover | Harold Sweeney | Gertrude Leslie |
| July 2 | Exeter | Baby Barnes | | | | Exeter | F | | | | S None | Raymond | Swampscott, Ms. | Harold Barnes | Shirley Jones |
| July 7 | Raymond | Thomas Petipas | 66 | 9 10 | | Newfoundland | M | | | | M Sea Captain | Nova Scotia | Newfoundland | Nathan'l Petipas | Sarah Wheeler |
| 16 | Raymond | Mabel C. White | 70 | 12 | | Lakeport | F | | | | W Housewife | Tamworth | Lakeport | Esra Smart | Clara |
| 19 | Raymond | Lillian M. Dudley | 76 | 10 27 | | London | F | | | | W Housewife | Loudon | Not Known | Warren Hastings | Not Known |
| Sept. 12 | Raymond | Ivornia B. Harvey | 66 | | | Nova Scotia | F | | | | M Housewife | Nova Scotia | Nova Scotia | Alexander Porter | Jeannette Sweet |
| Oct. 4 | Raymond | Harold B. Smith | 60 | 3 9 | | S. Boston, Ms. | F | | | | M Tourist Prop. | Chesler | Nova Scotia | Alrahe Smith | Mary E. Bular |
| 10 | Raymond | Luceta D. Stearns | 82 | 5 2 | | Fram'ham, Ms. | F | | | | W Housewife | Ireland | Ireland | John Kinder | Lucinda Jermyn |
| Nov. 3 | Manchester | Sarah J. Brusso | 82 | 11 23 | | Raymond | F | | | | M Housewife | Raymond | Exeter | John F. Stevens | Mary Marsh |
| 23 | Raymond | Nellie F. Ladd | 86 | 4 16 | | Weare | F | | | | M Housewife | Weare | Not Known | Hiram Favor | Not Known |
| Dec. 30 | Raymond | Eunice I. Gosselin | 47 | 4 20 | | Raymond | F | | | | M Housewife | Raymond | Raymond | Henry L. Hardy | Lilla B. Heath |

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HARVEY G. HINTZE, Town Clerk.

